

June 26- July 15, 1857

KANPUR

Maharatta under Nana Sahib
(b. C. 1821) massacred the
British garrison and colony
at Kanpur in India during
the SEPOY REBELLION

1857

First overland stage reached
Calif.

Dec 6, 1857

KANPUR (CANNONORE)

British infantry and cavalry
defeated Indian-Mahratta
rebels in savage assault
on Kanpur

1857

Californians got tired of waiting
for their mail to arrive by sea.
In 1857 Congress subsidized a
stagecoach service for mail
and passengers, The Overland Mail
Co. that ran across territory
acquired in the 1853 Gadsden
Purchase.

1857

Edward Beale set out from
Albuquerque to chart for the
Army what he believed would
"necessarily become the great
imagined road to California." Few
would see it, nor would many
share Beale's enthusiasm for
camels

Mar 6, 1857

In its "Dred Scott" decision, the U.S. Supreme Court held that Scott, a slave, could not sue for his freedom in federal court.

1857

TX

The Combra and Mason families;
settlers; were victims of
white renegades and Indians
at Lost Valley, Texas
(? Blue Hills in distance; to right
is Spy Knob)

1857

1912 Dates J-BK

CAWNPUR, India

During the Indian Mutiny, the residents of CAWNPUR were besieged by the rebels. After defending themselves 3 weeks, they were forced to surrender, and

although NANA SAHIB promised to give them protection they were massacred in cold blood by the Rebels

AD1857

Petroleum industry - Canada
(commercial production in Ontario)

1857

Houston was defeated for
Governor of Texas

1857

Missed

Liberal Constitution was
drafted.